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#### YESTERDAY'S MEETING.

The Ocala Temperance Reform club held a very interesting and largely attended meeting yesterday afternoon at Temperance hall.

After the opening exercises Miss Nellie Stevens was called upon, who gave an excellent reading on the evil effects of alcohol. Only those who were present can form anything like a just estimate of the valuable thoughts contained in that | Cigars, Tobacco, etc., reading.

Next on the program was Mr. Willie T. Gary, who came forward and made a stirring speech which dealt largely with our young men. He said that those who might be strong in the temperance cause, but who were taunted and sorely tempted, needed to be fired with ambition to become great mengreat temperance men-such as Gladstone, R. E. Lee, and others. He spoke of his associates, and of his surprise, upon returning from school, at the sad fact of so many of them having acquired the drink habit. He appealed to the mothers to take a deeper interest in their boys' welfare. The speech was brimfull of clear-cut, convincing truths, and, coming from the source it did, cannot fail to have its influence.

Several others gave encouraging talks. The STAR was highly recommended as a fit paper to be circulated. J. A. Munden was reelected editor of the Temperance column for another week. The Glee club was not on hand to furnish music, owing to inability of its leader to be present, which was regretted exceedingly.

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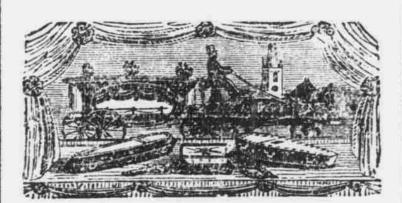
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